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In re application of

Minoru MIYATAKE, et al.

Appl. No.: 09/468,085

Filed: December 21, 1999

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Group Art Unit: 2871

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For: LIGHT DIFFUSING PLATE, OPTICAL ELEMENT, AND LIQUID-CRYSTAL DISPLAY

LETTER OF CLARIFICATION
RE: SUBMISSION OF REQUISITE FEES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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It is submitted that the credit was received in error. Therefore, we enclose a check in the amount of \$378.00 for the Multiple Dependent Claim Fee. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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Verification for the requested correction is indicated in the Specification filed December 21, 1999.

This error was caused by the PTO and therefore no fee is necessary.

Respectfully submitted.

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